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#### PART IV-B

Rules and Orders (Other than those published in Parts I, I-A, and I-L) made by the Government of Gujarat under the Gujarat Acts

#### HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE DEPARTMENT

#### NOTIFICATION

Sachivalaya, Gandhinagar, 19th September 2022

GUJARAT PROFESSIONAL MEDICAL EDUCATIONAL COLLEGES OR INSTITUTIONS (REGULATION OF ADMISSION AND FIXATION OF FEES) ACT, 2007.

**No.GY-33-MCG-1017-SFS-15-J:** In the exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section(1) of Section 20 read with Section 4 of The Gujarat Professional Medical Educational Colleges or Institutions (Regulation of Admission and Fixation of Fees) Act, 2007(Guj.3 of 2008)the Government of Gujarat, hereby makes the following rules further to amend the Gujarat Professional Post-Graduate Medical Educational Courses (Regulation of Admission) Rules, 2018, namely:-

- 1. (1) These rules may be called the Gujarat Professional Post-Graduate Medical Educational Courses (Regulation of Admission) (Amendment) Rules, 2022.
  - (2) They shall come into force from the date of its publication in the *Official Gazette*.
- 2. In the Gujarat Professional Post-Graduate Medical Educational Courses (Regulation of Admission) Rules, 2018 (hereinafter referred as "the said rules"), In rule 2, in sub rule (1),-
  - (i) for clause (f), the following clause shall be substituted, namely:-
    - "(f) "Counseling" means the Counseling for all the post-graduate professional medical courses (Diploma/M.D./M.S./M.D.S./Diploma courses of CPS) in all Medical Educational Institutions in the State established by the State Government University or Trust, Society, a Company/Minority Institutions/ Corporations within the territory of the Gujarat State conducted by the Admission Committee of the Government. Such common Counselling shall be under the overall superintendence, direction and control of the State Government".
  - (ii) in clause (j), after item(iv), the following item shall be added, namely:-
    - "(v) Diploma Courses of College of Physicians and Surgeons(CPS)".

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- 3. In the said rules, in rule 4, for sub-rule (2), the following sub-rule shall be substituted, namely:-
  - "(2)(a) The candidate must have completed the recognized MBBS or BDS course from university established under any law of the State Legislature.
    - (b) The candidate must have completed the recognized MBBS or BDS course from university established by an Act of the Parliament and situated in any State/ Union Territory of India or have completed aforesaid courses from outside of India and fulfills the eligibility criteria of MCI, NMC or Government of India, as the case may be, and must have passed 12<sup>th</sup> qualifying examination with "B-group" or "AB-group" either from (a) Gujarat Board or (b) from Central Board of Secondary Education/The Council of Indian School Certificate Examination board/The International School Board (International Baccalaureate and Cambridge)/The National Institute of Open Schooling provided that school is located in the State of Gujarat and the candidate must have born in Gujarat State or be the Domicile of Gujarat State.
    - (c) The candidate applying under clause (a) or (b) must have completed compulsory rotating internship on or before 31<sup>st</sup> March of the academic year of admission.".
- 4. In the said rules, for rule 6, the following rule shall be substituted, namely:-
  - "6. Ten (10%) of Government quota seats in Postgraduate subjects of MD/MS (1) Pediatrics, (2) TB & Chest, (3) Obstetrics & Gynecology, (4) Preventive & Community Medicine, (5) Orthopedics. (6) General Surgery, (7) General Medicine, (8) Anesthesiology, (9) Radiology, (10) Pathology & CPS Courses in Government Medical Colleges, Government Hospitals and GMERS Medical Colleges shall be reserved for in-service doctors.".
- 5. In the said rules, in rule 12, in sub-rule (1), for item (viii), the following item shall be substituted, namely:-

"(viii) The Admission Committee shall decide to allot seats as per online process as far as possible. However, it may decide to do the same by an offline process wherever it is expedient to do so.

In Case, where considerable number of seats fall vacant, and it appears to the Admission Committee to fill the vacant seats, it may conduct the admission process for readjustment (reshuffling). The candidate can reshuffle seats/choice options during the process of readjustment (reshuffling). In such readjustment(reshuffling) of seats, the candidate who opts to participate in reshuffling process, shall be considered for such admission. The candidate may either give option for upgradation of choices already given or submit new choices. The candidates shall not be offered admission on the seats available to him in previous allotment process. If the candidate gets admission on the basis of upgradation or new choice, then his earlier admission shall be treated as cancelled

In Case of contingency situation as it may arise, the Admission Committee may decide such mode of admission as it may deem fit.

- (a) For the process of admission if a candidate is eligible for admission on Postgraduate seat in a particular institute and a branch on university quota seat and all Gujarat quota seat, then University quota seat, shall be considered first for the admission than after Government quota seat shall be considered for the same institute and branch.
- (b) The candidates holding a seat in Round 1 and /or Round 2 of State Counselling are not allowed to take part in Mop-up round of AIQ counseling as per the Government of India Notification No.MCI-18(1)/2018-Med./100818, dated the 5<sup>th</sup> April 2018.
- (c) In case, where number of seats fall vacant after completion of first online round, it appears for the admission committee to fill the vacant seats, they may conduct subsequent online rounds (second OR third) of counselling, in such online counselling, the upgradation of seats which is done. i.e., Government Quota (GQ) to Institutional Quota (UQ), reserved category to open.

Where again number of seats fall vacant after completion of online round, it appears for the admission committee to fill the vacant seats, they may conduct offline counselling, in such counselling, the upgradation of seats which is done in online counselling, shall not be followed for existing admitted students. i.e., Government Quota (GQ) to Institutional Quota (UQ), reserved category to open.

- (d) In any circumstances, if Admission Committee carries out offline counselling, then if a candidate takes admission in particular category in offline counselling i.e., PwD, NRI, In-service, SC, ST, SEBC, EWS then he shall not be eligible for admission in the general category in the said counseling at his turn.".
- 6. In the said rules, in rule 15, in sub-rule (iii), for clause (b), the following clause shall be substituted, namely:-
  - "(b) In case of a candidate withdrawing his candidature after completion of entire admission process by the Admission Committee, for any reason whatsoever, he may request in writing to the college or institution in which he is granted admission and cancellation shall be done by the college or institution. In such case the fee shall be refunded, by such college or institution.".
- 7. In the said rules, for rule 16, following rule shall be substituted, namely:-
  - "16. After the completion of the admission process and exhaustion of merit list of the eligible candidates as per admission rules, if government seats and management seats remain vacant or vacancy arise due to any circumstances, such vacant seats shall be filled up from candidates who has applied to the Admission Committee and qualify as per NEET PG criteria but not included in the merit list of the Admission Committee because of not fulfilling the other criteria of these rules. After completion of that process, if any seats are still remain vacant, such vacant seats shall be displayed on the official website and on the notice board of the office of the Admission Committee and the same shall be intimated to the colleges or institutions wherein the seats are vacant and the institution shall filled up the seats as per the criteria laid down by the Government of India, NMC/Medical Council of India, New Delhi; Dental Council of India, New Delhi from merit list of NEET-PG of current year by non-admitted students only."

By order and in the name of the Governor of Gujarat

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